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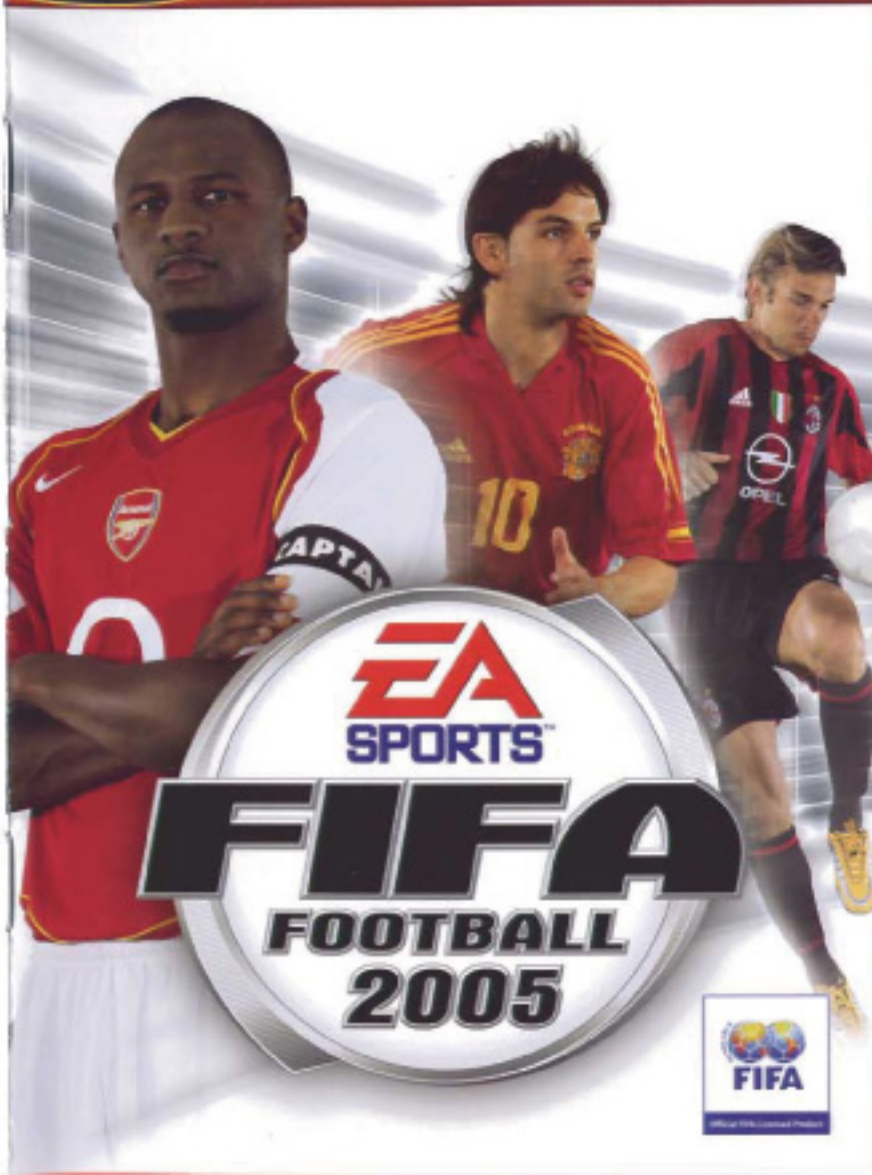

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Xbox Controller S

Introduction

What's New

First Touch

Control the ball instantly with flick-ons or knocks into space using ❶. See *Hints and Tips* on p. 10 for more information.

Career Mode

There's even more depth to Career mode, with a drive for success spanning multiple seasons and numerous challenges to becoming a five star manager. See *Setting Up The Game* on p. 6 for more information.

Create Players

Assemble the perfect player, with complete control over his appearance, abilities and statistics. See *Create Player* on p. 10 for more information.

My FIFA 2005 Store

Collect points with every accomplishment, from winning trophies to creating a player, and use them to buy extra kits, tracks for the jukebox and much more (select MY FIFA 2005 STORE from the My FIFA 2005 menu).

Complete Controls

Note: Where ❶ is mentioned, ● can also be used (and vice versa).

Menu Navigation	
Highlight option	L
Select/Advance	A
Cancel/Return	B
Cycle through pages	LB/RB
General Gameplay	
Move player	L
Sprint	Hold RT
Activate IGM (see *IGM (In-Game Management)* below)	Hold LB+●
Pause game	○

IGM (In-Game Management) A ◂ Long Ball ▸

Hold LB, then hold ● at the same time to make tactical adjustments to your team during the game. Press ●↕ to toggle between different tactical areas and then press ●↔ to make changes to each:

Attacking Strategy (A):	Wing Play/Possession/Long Ball
Defensive Strategy (D):	Pressing/Neutral/Contain
Mentality Preference (M):	Attack/Neutral/Defend

Attacking (With Ball)

Pass/Header	A	Through ball (manual) L1+A	
Shot/Header/ Volley/Clearance	B	Chip shot L1+B	Fake shot ●
Lob/Cross	X	Early cross L1+X	Low hard cross Double tap X
Through ball (assisted)	Y	Lobbed through ball L1+Y	
Skill moves/ First Touch	R1		

Power, Weight and Direction

- When shooting, lobbing or playing a manual through ball, a power meter appears at the bottom of the screen. Keep the relevant button pressed to increase power (and therefore speed and distance) and release when the meter has filled sufficiently. When **shooting**, if the meter reaches the red zone, your effort is more likely to be off target. Move ● to aim – the ball travels in the direction it is facing when the button is released.

Passing

- **Assisted/lobbed through balls**, **passes**, **lobs** and **crosses** are automatically directed towards a team-mate or team-mate's run in the direction of your left thumbstick. Manual **through balls** are played in the direction of your left thumbstick.
- To play **first-time balls** (passing or shooting without first controlling the ball), press the relevant buttons *before* the ball reaches your player.

Dribbling

- The faster you travel, the trickier it is to trap an incoming pass or keep control of the ball. Try to balance your pace with the need for control.

Attacking Off the Ball™ Control Options

Off the Ball™ Running: When your player has possession of the ball, press ○ to increase his passing options. Potential ball receivers appear with numbers above their heads. Press ○ to cycle through the receivers and use ● to guide the highlighted receiver's run. To play a pass towards the highlighted receiver, press ● or ●.

Defending (Without Ball)

Switch player	A
Tackle	Hold B
Sliding tackle	B
Keeper charge	B

Defending Off the Ball™ Control Options: Secondary Defender

For the defender nearest the ball, tackling isn't always the best form of defence. When facing the man in possession, it is sometimes more effective to block his route to goal and then call in a **secondary defender** (L1) to make the challenge.

Goalkeeper in Possession

Move/Aim kick or throw	L
Throw	A
High kick	B/X
Drop ball	Y

Set Pieces

Taking a Direct Free Kick

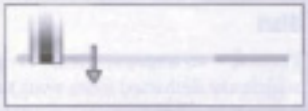
In order to hit the target you need to follow these steps:

1. Move ● to **aim** the targeting cursor towards the area of net you want the ball to go.

2. Decide what kind of **spin** you are going to put on the ball by positioning the impact cursor (the point at which you are going to strike the ball) using ●. The ball spins accordingly.

Ballspin: To make the ball swerve you need to put spin on it by striking it on one side. The nearer to the edge that contact is made, the greater the swerve produced (e.g. making contact with the right-hand side of the ball as you look at it will send it swerving in an arc out to the right and then back in to the left, and vice versa).

3. To take the kick, press ●, A or ● to start the kick meter, press it once more on the **upswing** to set the **power** of the shot (stop the pointer near the red zone to give it full gun; the more powerful the shot, the faster the downswing will be) and press it a third time on the **downswing** to set the **accuracy** (stop the pointer in the middle of the accuracy zone for the best results).



Taking an Attacking Indirect Free Kick or Corner

1. Press ●↕ and A to select a **preset routine**.
2. Select a **receiver** by pressing the button corresponding with the symbol above his head.
3. Use the Off the Ball™ controls to **make space** for yourself while waiting for the set piece.

Note: If you select a club currently outside the divisions featured in *FIFA Football 2005*, you can only play it in Play Now or Tournament modes.

Note: To play your team in Play Now mode, instead of selecting a recognised League, choose FOOTBALL FUSION, then select an imported team. To use an imported team in Tournament mode, choose from your imported teams at the Select Teams screen.

Note: If you want to play two or more Fusion matches with the same team then you need to export each match back to *Total Club Manager 2005* before playing the next match.

Xbox *Live*™

Take FIFA Football 2005 Beyond the Box

Xbox *Live*™ is a high-speed or broadband Internet gaming community where you can create a permanent gamer identity, setup a Friends List with other players, see when they're online, invite them to play, and talk to them in real-time as you play.

Connecting

Before you can use Xbox *Live*, you need to connect your Xbox console to a high-speed or broadband Internet connection and sign up for the Xbox *Live* service. To determine if Xbox *Live* is available in your region and for information about connecting to Xbox *Live*, see **www.xbox.com/connect**.

Setting up

1. Select PLAY ONLINE from the Main menu and select OK to continue. The Select Gamertag screen appears.
2. Choose your Gamertag and press ⓐ to verify your account and sign in.

- If you have not created a Gamertag, select CREATE NEW ACCOUNT and press ⓐ to exit to the Xbox Dashboard, then follow the on-screen instructions.

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Welcome to FIFA Football 2005 Online

QUICK MATCH	Quickly search for an opponent using your Quick Match Criteria. Choose MY FIFA 2005 and then QUICK MATCH SETTINGS to set the Quick Match Criteria.
OPTIMATCH	Find an opponent using a more detailed search criteria (from Difficulty Level to Bookings ON/OFF).
GAME MODES	Choose ONLINE LOBBY to create or join a Room and chat to other online players. Choose ONLINE EVENTS to see all the current Events or create a tournament of your own. Choose QUICK TOURNAMENT to create or join a 4 or 8 player tournament.

LEADERBOARDS	Select MY LEADERBOARD to see where you stand in the online rankings. Choose FRIENDS to match yourself up to your Friend's stats. Choose TOP 100 to view the stats for the top 100 online players.
MY CAREER	Take pride in your Trophy cabinet and flaunt your achievements with your Career stats (viewable by all your friends).
MY FIFA 2005	Change your settings, read the latest News or see the Online FAQ for help.

- Press ⓐ to access EA Messenger and manage your list of online gaming friends (see below). Select a player, press ⓐ and select ADD TO EA MESSENGER to invite that player onto your Friends list.

  Note: To report a player who is ruining your fun, select that player in an online room, press ⓐ and select FEEDBACK. Be careful not to abuse this system, as players that report erroneous feedback could have action taken against their account. If the issue persists, or to prevent action taken against yourself, contact Customer Support.

To Create a New Tournament

Note: Choose QUICK TOURNAMENT on the Game Modes screen to quickly create a new tournament with the default settings.

1. At the online Main menu choose GAME MODES and then ONLINE EVENTS.
2. At the Online Events screen, choose CREATE TOURNAMENT. The first Create Tournament screen appears.
3. Enter a Tournament Name to identify your tournament. Select PRIVATE TOURNAMENT, press ⓑ and choose YES to restrict access and enter the password to join. Select TOURNAMENT BEGINS and press ⓑ and choose WHEN FULL to wait for all the team places to fill before beginning (or select a time limit after which it will start automatically).
4. Select NEXT to progress to the second Create Tournament screen.
5. Change the Restrictions from ANY to restrict the tournament to players of a certain Rank or block players that have a specific DNF% (Did Not Finish percentage) or Ping.
6. Select NEXT to progress to the last Create Tournament screen. Select your team and then select DONE to create the tournament and advance to the Online Events screen where it is listed.

EA Messenger

Add mates to your online Friends list by pressing ⓐ and entering their Gamertag. Choose ADD TO EA MESSENGER, then once they've accepted your invitation select their Gamertag to access the following:

CHALLENGE	Challenge your friend to a game of *FIFA Football 2005* and choose the game settings.
CROSS-GAME INVITE	Invite your friend to a game of *FIFA Football 2005* when they are online with a different game.
SEND MESSAGE	Send a message to your friend.

VIEW CAREER	See how well your friend has played by viewing their Trophy cabinet and statistics.
REMOVE FROM EA MESSENGER	Take the selected player off your list of Friends and from EA Messenger.
VOICE CHAT	Invite your friend to Voice Chat. Press ⓞ to temporarily mute the member you are talking to.
BLOCK MEMBER	Prevent the selected player from sending messages or invitations to you and move them to your Blocked list.

Note: Select a Friend and press ●— to add them to a Group. Select a Friend from a Group and press ⓞ to send a message to every player in the Group.

Create Player

Blend the essential elements of a great player by pressing ●↕ to select from the Create Player menu and pressing ⓞ. Press ●— to change details and press ⓑ to return to the menu.
Choose TEAM INFORMATION to decide your new player's position and club and then select SAVE AND EXIT, followed by YES, to save his details. He is now available for selection at that club!

Hints and Tips

Gameplay

First Touch

Use ⓞ to control your first touch. Move ⓞ before you receive the ball to control the ball in that direction. Many new skill moves are also available when running or sprinting with the ball.

Shooting

Use a **chip shot** (L1+ⓞ) to lift the ball over the keeper or send him the wrong way with a **fake shot** (●).

Passing

Manual through balls (L1+ⓞ) can be played into areas that do not contain team-mates, allowing you to pass into space and slice open the defence for fun.

Off the Ball™ Control

Use the attacking Off the Ball™ controls (R) on the wing for pinpoint crosses.

Tackling

Get close to the ball carrier (ⓞ/●) to contest for the ball without fouling.

Menu Screens

Knockout Tournaments/Matches

Set the number of legs to 2 at the knockout stage to decide ties over home and away matches. Remember, if scores are level after the two matches, the away goals rule comes into play and away goals count double.

Using The Virtual Keyboard

To input names, use ●/ⓞ to highlight each character and press ⓞ. Select DONE to enter a name.

Changing Your Squad

To change your first team line-up (or substitute players during a match), press ●↕ to highlight the player on the pitch that you wish to swap and press ⓞ. Then highlight a player from the substitutes or the reserves (not available during a match), and press ⓞ to complete the swap (highlight two players already on the pitch in order to swap their positions).

Note: Highlight a player name and press ⓞ to view his Bio Screen. Press L1/R1 to change the team formation.

Practice Mode Pause Menu

When practicing set pieces in Practice Mode, select a Location (an area of the pitch) from which to take them.

Note: Location ranges from 1 to 6 (left to right) for free kicks and LEFT or RIGHT for corners.

Note: *FIFA Football 2005* supports Normal and Wide Screen video modes. Video modes can be selected from the Xbox Dashboard, please see the *"Audio, Video and Other Settings"* section of the Xbox Instruction Manual for more details about this feature.

Saving and Loading

Saving

- To save files, choose the SAVE option from the relevant mode menu. You are also prompted to save files upon exiting certain screens.

  Note: Changes made outside individual game modes are applied in all game modes. Changes made within game modes are specific to that competition (except Game Settings and Set Pieces).

Loading

- All Game Settings detected on the hard disk are loaded automatically upon boot-up.
- To load previously saved Tournament/Career/Game Settings *after* you've started the game, select LOAD from the Game Modes screen. Select a file and press ⓞ to load the saved Tournament/Career/Game Settings.

Deleting

- To delete a saved file, select DELETE from the My FIFA 2005 screen. Press ●↕ to select a file and press ⓞ. Select YES at the prompt to delete the file.

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